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Application No. 09/871,450
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Y. MURATA

Serial No. : 09/871,450

Filed : May 31, 2001

For : METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR
COLLECTING AND PAYING
TAXES ON CONTENTS DELIVERED
OVER A NETWORK

Art Unit : 3627

Examiner : Andrew J. Rudy

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2004,
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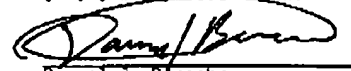
Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-40 are
canceled; and claims 41 and 42 are added.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

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